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Re: Serial No. 09/954,720; filed September 14, 2001  
MRI COMPATIBLE GUIDEWIRE

**Attached:**

1. Transmittal Letter
2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application

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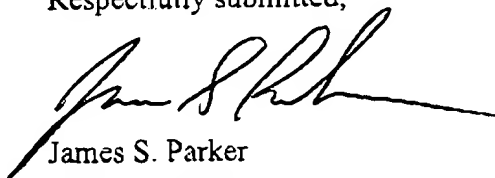
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

The above-identified application was filed without payment of the filing fee. A Notice to Filing Missing Parts of a Nonprovisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) was received from the Patent and Trademark Office, and a copy of that Notice is attached hereto.

Please charge \$355.00 to complete the basic filing fee for filing the subject application as a small entity to Deposit Account No. 19-0065. Also, please charge the \$65.00 surcharge to Deposit Acct. No. 19-0065. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,



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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 420.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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- Abstract must be on a separate sheet.

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